

respecting the intended application, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, at the office aforesaid, on or before the 15th day of January, 1883, at the same time delivering a copy of their representations or objections to the Promoters at the office of the said Messrs. Gedge, Kirby, Millett, and Morse; and in forwarding to the Board of Trade any such representations or objections, the objectors or their agents must state that a copy of the same has been forwarded to the Promoters or their agents.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1882.

*Gedge, Kirby, Millett, and Morse, 1, Old Palace-yard, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.*

Board of Trade.—Session 1883.

Nottingham Electricity.

(Application for Provisional Order for supply of Electricity for public and private purposes within the Borough of Nottingham.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Nottingham (hereinafter called the Corporation) intend to apply to the Board of Trade for a Provisional Order (hereinafter referred to as the Order) under and subject to the provisions of the Electric Lighting Act, 1882, and in accordance with the following particulars:—

1. The objects of the application are to authorise the Corporation, subject and according to the conditions contained in the said Act or Order, to supply Electricity for public and private purposes as defined by the said Act within the area hereinafter described; to empower the Corporation to open and break up streets and bridges, to alter the position of gas and water mains, pipes and wires, sewers and drains under the same; to acquire lands, to appropriate lands (whether devoted to any special public purpose or not); to construct such works, acquire such licences for the use of any patented or protected processes, invention, machinery, apparatus, methods, materials, or things; to enter into such contracts, and to do all such acts and things as may be necessary and incidental to such supply; to empower the Corporation to make and recover charges for the supply of electricity, apparatus, meters, lamps, machinery, fittings, and works, and to make regulations for securing the payment of the same, and for the continuance and proper use of the electricity supplied; with power to discontinue the supply in case of default; to make provision for the prevention of accidents; to provide for the payment of the expenses incurred under the Act or Order; with power to borrow and to charge such expenses and borrowed monies on the local rates; to empower the Corporation to prescribe the form and nature of meters, fittings, and fixtures; to enable the Corporation to supply, examine, test, and stamp the same; and to license fitters and workmen; and to prohibit others from executing works in relation thereto; and to make and enforce bye-laws and regulations in respect of all or some of the matters aforesaid; to make special provision with reference to the breaking up of footways of public streets and interference with property under such footways, and for laying down under the pavement or kerb of such footways electric lines and works; to relieve the Corporation from all liability arising from the acts or defaults of any Company or person with whom they may contract, and whether in respect of the construction of works or supply of electricity; to authorise the Corporation from time to time to define by Order separate parts of the area of supply, to revoke or alter any such Order, and to charge

differential rates within such several parts; to provide for the keeping of accounts, the formation of a reserve fund and the application thereof, and also as to the application of the revenue arising from the undertaking, and to extend or amend the Electric Lighting provisions (s. 28) of the Nottingham Improvement Act, 1879.

2. The address and description of the Applicants are the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Nottingham (the Local Authority within the meaning of the said Act), at the Municipal Offices, Nottingham.

3. A general description of the nature of the proposed works is as follows, namely:—Such works, dynamos, engines, batteries, materials and things as are authorised by the said Act and necessary for generating, storing, supplying and distributing electricity and otherwise for the purposes of the undertaking.

4. The area of supply for the purposes of the intended Order is the whole of the borough of Nottingham.

5. Subject to the conditions of supply it is proposed to place electric lines or other works in, over, and along all streets and other places repairable by the Corporation within the borough of Nottingham.

6. It is proposed to take powers by the Order to break up the tramways situate within the borough and belonging to the Nottingham and District Tramways Company, Limited, but it is not intended to take powers by the Order to break up any streets not repairable by the Corporation, nor any Railways.

7. It is not intended to take power by the Order to cross any Canal or Navigable River.

8. And notice is hereby given that the draft of the proposed Order will be deposited at the Office of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December, 1882, and printed copies of the draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained at the price of One Shilling for each copy at the Offices of the Town Clerk at the Municipal Offices, Nottingham, and of Messrs. Sharpe, Parkers, Pritchard and Sharpe, Parliamentary Agents, at 9, Bridge-street, Westminster.

And notice is hereby further given, that a published map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply and the streets and other places in, over, or along which it is proposed to place any electric lines or other works, and a copy of this advertisement, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited on or before the 30th November instant for public inspection at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Nottingham, at Newark, at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of the Town of Nottingham, at Nottingham, and at the Municipal Offices in the Borough of Nottingham, being the Office of the Corporation.

And notice is hereby further given, that every Local, or other Public Authority, Company, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting this application may do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Act," within two months from the date of this notice.

And notice is further given, that application will be made for the confirmation of the Order by Parliament in the ensuing Session.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1882.

*Sam. Geo. Johnson, Town Clerk, Nottingham.*

*Sharpe, Parkers, Pritchard, and Sharpe, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster. Parliamentary Agents.*